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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF :  
SHOKO SUYAMA, ET AL. : EXAMINER: GROUP, KARL E.  
SERIAL NO: 10/518,646 :  
FILED: DECEMBER 20, 2004 : GROUP ART UNIT: 1755  
FOR: SILICON CARBIDE MATRIX :  
COMPOSITE MATERIAL, PROCESS FOR  
PRODUCING THE SAME AND PROCESS  
FOR PRODUCING PART OF SILICON  
CARBIDE MATRIX COMPOSITE  
MATERIAL

AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated July 31, 2006, please amend the application identified above as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 10 of this paper.